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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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SIR:

The following is a Request for Certificate of Correction in Serial Number 10/626,608, now U.S. Patent Number 7,554,685.

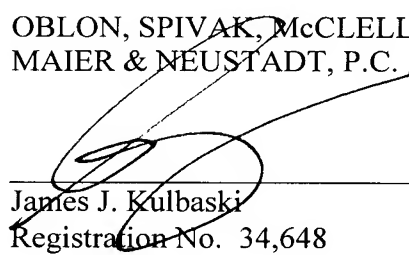
In accordance with the provisions of Rule 322 of the Rules of Practice, which implement 35 USC 254, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to issue a Certificate of Correction in the above-identified patent.

Applicant filed the Petition Under 37 C.F.R§1.48(B) on July 19, 2007 deleting the names Mr. Kunihiro Akiyoshi, Mr. Yuuko Sugiuro and Mr. Mitsuo Ando inventors. The inventions of Mr. Kunihiro Akiyoshi, Mr. Yuuko Sugiuro and Mr. Mitsuo Ando are no longer claimed in the application.

In light of the fact that the errors were the fault of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, no fees are required. The requested corrections are listed on FORM P.T.O. 1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that an error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Cover page, Item (75), remove "Kunihiro Akiyoshi, Yuuko Sugiura, Mitsuo Ando".

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